

APRIL 2, 2005 ELECTION
PARISH OF DESOTO
FIRE PROTECTION DISTRICT 8 PROPOSITION

SUMMARY: 10 YEAR, 10 MILLS PROPERTY TAX FOR ACQUIRING, CONSTRUCTING, IMPROVING, MAINTAINING AND/OR OPERATING FIRE PROTECTION AND EMERGENCY MEDICAL SERVICE FACILITIES, VEHICLES AND EQUIPMENT, INCLUDING BOTH MOVABLE AND IMMOVABLE PROPERTY, TO PROVIDE FIRE PROTECTION AND EMERGENCY MEDICAL SERVICES, SAID TAX TO REPLACE THE TAX AUTHORIZED TO BE LEVIED BY FIRE PROTECTION DISTRICT 8 THROUGH THE YEAR 2007 BY AN ELECTION HELD ON NOVEMBER 5, 1996.

Shall Fire Protection District 8 of the Parish of DeSoto, State of Louisiana (the "District"), levy a ten (10) mills tax (the "Tax") on all the property subject to taxation in the District for a period of ten (10) years, beginning with the year 2005 and ending with the year 2014, for the purpose of acquiring, constructing, improving, maintaining and/or operating fire protection and emergency medical service facilities, vehicles and equipment, including both moveable and immovable property, to provide fire protection and emergency medical services, said Tax to replace the tax authorized to be levied by the District through the year 2007 by an election held on November 5, 1996?